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SENATOR DUPONT'S KEYNOTE
"At the recent dinner given to the Republican members of the Legislature at Dover by the senior Senator, Colonel duPont commented upon the situation in Delaware politics to-day and struck the keynote of the campaign for next year. After a long period of internal dissensions in the party, the Senator recalled that all was now harmony, and it shall be the effort of the leaders to maintain this condition. The satisfactory situation, as Senator duPont well said, was made possible only by the spirit of conciliation which actuated the Republicans of the State."

"The importance and the significance of the campaign next year were dwelt upon, and none too early, because the struggle then will have a far-reaching effect upon the country at large and it will be a momentous one for Delaware. The prosperity and generally good business conditions throughout the country must be maintained, which can best be done by continuing the policies of the party and of the present administration."

"To Delaware the election of 1908 means much as the Senator says, because the new governor will have the appointing of the entire State judiciary, which is a most important duty. There is, therefore, need for organization such as is proposed by the permanent headquarters of the party which may be established in this city. With the Republicans laboring in harmony, with the disputes over the election of a senator a thing of the past, there is no reason why the victories of the past should not be repeated on even a larger scale."—Evening Journal.

CHESAPEAKE CITY ITEMS

Joshua Clayton, Jr., is spending some time in Middletown.
Mrs. C. A. Beiswenger visited friends in Wilmington last week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jones, of Cecilton, spent Thursday in town.
The night-boats made their regular trip on Thursday night.
Mrs. Annie T. Boucheffe and family moved here from Wilmington.
Miss Sallie Bonnell is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. D. McCoy, near St. Georges.
Miss Miriam Aldrich, of Glasgow, Del., was the guest of Mrs. G. S. Woolley.
Miss Susie Naudin, of Elton, was the guest of Miss Evelyn Kiefer last week.
Mrs. Byron Boucheffe and son, Taylor, are spending some time with relatives in Baltimore.
There has been a large number of barges going through the Canal in the last few days.
The Sunshine Society met at the home of Mrs. G. S. Woolley on Thursday evening last week.
The Daughters of Confederacy held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Annie T. Egan last week.
Mrs. W. T. Mahster and Misses Sara and Florence Master, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. A. L. Conrey.
The "Lord Baltimore" is running in place of the "Ericsson" which is at the shop undergoing repairs.
The ladies of the M. E. Church held a luncheon on Friday and Saturday evenings last week. It was quite a success, a neat sum being realized.
After having been closed for nearly two months the Chesapeake & Delaware Canal was opened to navigation last week. The ice was broken by the tug "Cecil."
The Town Board has instructed the health officer to fill the lamps to put out enough gasoline to burn until midnight instead of all night. This will be quite a saving to the Board.
The weekly prayer meeting of the Presbyterian Church will be held on Thursday evening this week instead of Wednesday evening, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. M. Perry.

PORT PENN

William Zachels spent Sunday with his parents.
Dale S. Bender and family moved to New Castle last week.
Brainerd Yearley made a short trip to Wilmington on Monday.
Two of our fishermen came up from Bombay Hook on Sunday with a splendid catch of small fish.
Miss Jennie Kelley who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, has returned to her home in Wilmington.
Mrs. Walter Yearley who has been ill for some time, is so far convalescent as to start this week to visit her father in Talbot County, Md.

LEGISLATURE CLEARS ITS CALENDAR

Both Houses Rush Through Business and Adjourn For One Week

Both branches of the Legislature adjourned Monday evening until Monday morning next after having cleared the calendars of the important bills pending. In the final rush the Senate killed the high license bill, which would have given Wilmington and other incorporated cities and towns in the state a portion of the money collected for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors. The "Bottle Repealer" bill passed by the House died in committee of the Senate. By hard work the House succeeded in clearing its calendar, and in the Senate a number of important bills were allowed to die in committee. There was little discussion in the two Houses and the time was spent running bills through or disposing of them in some other way. Monday evening after the adjournment the R-publican members of this and the first Legislature were royally banqueted at the Hotel Richmond by United States Senator H. A. duPont.

The bills withdrawn in the House were:
For a new city charter for Wilmington, the Sparks bill and substitute having passed both houses.

Providing for the payment of wages to all employees at least twice in each calendar month.
Limiting all railroad fares to two cents per mile.

To incorporate the town of Seaford.
Creating a new justice in New Castle County, that of deputy coroner.

Among the bills reported unfavorable were those requiring the transportation companies to furnish separate cars or apartments for white and black passengers.

The House passed these bills:
Referring to the election of the State all questions of public policy. This is the advisory initiative and advisory referendum bill once killed in the House.

Authorizing municipal corporations, water commissions and other corporate bodies to donate money, lands or other valuables for the improvement of the National Guard of Delaware.

The Senate passed these bills:
Abolishing the offices of road commissioners in New Castle County in 1911 and creating the positions of road supervisors, responsible to the Levy Court and under the direction of the civil engineer of the county.

Creating a commission to consider and report upon an adequate method of revenue and taxation.

Providing for a survey of the public lands in the vicinity of Rehoboth.

Increasing the salary of the State Auditor \$500 a year.

Providing for the appointment of an additional Deputy Attorney-General for Kent and Sussex Counties.

Fixing the Delaware Railroad Company's taxes to the State at \$20,000 a year.

Providing that applicants for oyster license shall be bona fide residents of Delaware.

Fixing the State taxes on the Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington Railroad at \$50,000 a year.

Authorizing the Mayor and Council of Wilmington to borrow \$800,000 for the use of the Water Commissioners and for a new filtration plant.

Fixing the State taxes of the Baltimore & Philadelphia Railroad Company (B. & O.) at \$30,000 a year.

Appropriating \$100,000 to the Delaware State Hospital at Farnhurst.

Prohibiting discrimination in charges by surety companies.

The Legislature will once more convene next Monday to finally pass appropriation and budget measures.

TOWNSEND

John Townsend, Jr., visited Philadelphia on Wednesday.
Benjamin M. West was a brief visitor in Clinton on Wednesday.

D. B. Maloney spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

J. Irving Brockson, of Middletown, spent Sunday with W. B. Weldon and family.

Misses May and Elizabeth Hubbard, of Lawes, were brief visitors with Benjamin Hutchinson and family during the past week.

Mrs. Leola Rallege and daughter, of Greenwood, Md., are visiting N. Rallege and family near town.

Mrs. John Denny, of Middletown, spent Wednesday with friends here.

Charles Roberts, of Odessa, visited town on Wednesday.

Miss Merrill Deuchamp, of Harrington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Reynolds.

Misses Mary Wharten and Lena Baker, of Dover, visited W. H. Reynolds and wife over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Hodgson is visiting Mrs. James Wilson, in Smyrna.

Mr. Harvey Smith, of New Castle, spent Sunday with Mr. Heavellon and sister near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hutchinson spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Lee, near Smyrna.

Joseph Jones visited Philadelphia on Tuesday.

Miss Anna R. Lawson spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Esmere.

Thomas Enos visited friends in Middletown on Monday.

Sherman Webb, of near Odessa, visited town on Sunday.

Archie Finley, of Philadelphia, visited his mother over Sunday.

S. Tinley Scott was an over Sunday visitor at his home.

Miss Meta MacSorley, of Newark, visited her parents over Sunday.

Rev. Irving Watkins and wife visited G. M. D. Hart on Tuesday.

Mrs. George M. D. Hart entertained the M. E. Ladies' Aid on Tuesday evening.

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SEARCH FOR A BABY

This is the Request of Dr. Marvin to the Public

DOVER, DEL., March 21st.—President Roosevelt's secret service men will have employment to-morrow, if they return, upon the Marvin case. They will be put on the track of some of the scores of writers of strike letters, about the most atrocious specimens ever unearthed. This is the latest for the father of the kidnapped boy.

"Pay \$21,000 or we will kill the boy." Thus the life of Dr. Horace Marvin, already worried under the extreme suspense of a father whose boy has been stolen from him by conspirators, is made even more miserable.

To-night, upon his arrival in Dover, Dr. Marvin told of receiving the above note, written upon a ragged and uneven piece of brown paper and containing no signature, no date and no names or initials, not even a post office box. He at first thought he would endeavor to run out the letter by its postmark, but this, too was indistinct, and he gave up the matter, tearing the letter up, believing that it was the product of one of the cranks who seek opportunities of this kind to wreck injury without benefit to themselves.

Dr. Marvin, while not fully revealing the objects of his trip north, upon his return this evening, admitted that he had been to examine the Chester boy supposed to be his son.

"Of course this was not my boy," said the distracted father to-night. "The great trouble with the people of the country who are finding boys, in a splen did effort to aid me, is that they look for a big boy instead of a baby. Horace was but three and a half years old and not a large baby at that. Simply look for a little, retiring light-headed baby," said the doctor.

From Dr. Marvin's conversation to-night it is taken that he, unlike the Dover relatives of Delaware Detective Murphy, is in close touch with the Dover leuth. He manifested no uneasiness over the alleged disappearance of Murphy, but on the contrary, said "Murphy will speak when he has something to say."

Dr. Marvin's unexpected departure from Dover night before last, after he had apparently retired for the night, is now fully explained.
A mysterious letter writer had been throwing out catch letters that he had the boy, probably for the same object that the other communication, senders have, the desire to sell a wrong boy, and Dr. Marvin surprised him this morning by walking into his kitchen before breakfast in a city not far from Philadelphia. He found that it was not only the wrong boy, but that the letter writer was the boy's uncle. This has caused the demand to President Roosevelt's secret service men to cause arrests for using the mails for the purpose of attempting to defraud a citizen.

The preponderance of opinion, in local official circles is that Horace Marvin is still within riding distance of his home, is keeping the Delaware detectives under Detective Hawkins still hard at work in this neighborhood.

CECILTON

Miss Isabella Griffith spent Saturday with Miss Ada Davis.

Mrs. Storr, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Black.

Mr. Noble Ferguson spent several days last week in Baltimore.

Mr. William Smith, of Earleville, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Miss Mary Etherington was the guest of Miss Mary Blackway on Sunday.

Rev. W. F. Dawson is attending the conference at Smyrna, Del., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldie Spear, of the Manor, spent Friday with Mr. George Millikan.

Mrs. Ellen Hall has been spending several days with Mr. Louis Kings and wife, in Warwick.

Miss Edna Walker, of Philadelphia, has been spending a few days with Miss Olive Millikan.

L. B. Manlove and wife, of Warwick, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. S. P. Hoover and wife.

Mr. George Boyles and wife, of Kent, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. James A. Smith and wife.

Miss Mollie Richards was called to Wilmington on Monday owing to the illness of her brother Enoch.

Miss Mary Dawson, of Wilmington, is spending sometime with her parents, Rev. F. Dawson and wife.

Meers. James Manlove, of Laurel, Del., and Harry Manlove, of Georgetown, Del., spent Sunday with their father, Mr. Joseph Manlove, near town.

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